

FIELD DAY IN VIRGINIA POLITICS

Great Crowd Greeted Montague, Willard and Maynard.

GOVERNOR SPEAKS FOR HOUR AND HALF

He Would Disfranchise All Who Sell Their Votes—Willard Gives Thoughtful Talk and Maynard Closes With Few Cheering Words to Constituents.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SUFFOLK, VA., October 3.—This was a great day for the Democracy of Isle of Wight county. A large crowd assembled at the courthouse to hear campaign speeches from Governor Montague, Lieutenant-Governor Willard and Congressman Maynard. The speech of Montague was particularly acceptable, and is considered one of the best he ever delivered in this section. It was argumentative as well as eloquent. For an hour and a half he held the crowd well-nigh spellbound with his scathing denunciations of Republican misrule and his brilliant flights of oratory.

Willard made a dispassionate and thoughtful talk of forty minutes, and Maynard closed, briefly, telling funny stories and inviting the audience to meet him in Washington at Parker's inauguration. Montague made a general contrast in the political and financial conditions for the sixty years prior to the Civil War and the forty years since the war. During the period prior to 1861 the Democrats had administered the affairs of government, the South had furnished the Democrats, and many had come from Virginia.

Prosperity Unmovable.

The government, he said, does not make nor unmake prosperity. It only wanted the government to keep off a restraining hand and let individuals make their own prosperity. Thomas Jefferson, James Madison and associates had done more to make the country prosperous than all the Congresses ever did or ever will do. In discussing the tariff, the speaker said: "To tax is to take." The Democrats stood for "equal rights to all, special privileges to none." He made some apt illustrations about the working of the tariff and its influence on the consumer, and made it plain "that even a wayfarer man, though a Republican, can read its meaning." Men are sent to jail, he said, for watering milk, while those who water stocks are allowed to ride and walk on golden streets. Honesty ought to be honest, and theft ought to be theft, from the highest to the lowest. The orator dwelt a while on trusts, and told of the action in the case of the Northern Securities Company. He said that the trusts had been made Secretary of Commerce and Labor to learn, for one thing, the inside workings of the great corporations and trusts, and then had been placed at the head of the Republican Campaign Committee. He said that from these same trusts, whose workings and weaknesses he had learned of in his official capacity, Republicans were raising a great fund, and there was evidence of an attempt to debauch another election.

Disfranchise Vote Sellers.

"I would to God," he declared, "that I could make and enforce a law which would disfranchise forever those who sell their votes." In discussing the flop of the New York Sun he said its editor, in his vituperations of Roosevelt, had said he was "possessed of progressive insanity," and later had tendered to the same editor and his "crazy" Democrats "huns and vandals." The speaker dwelt on the postal and army frauds, and deprecated the condition which permitted those guilty in high offices to escape punishment.

Roosevelt, he said, kept one foot on the Constitution, with a hand on a sword, while Parker had his foot on the sword, his hand on the Constitution.

Roosevelt had been mighty glad to see some negro soldiers coming to the battle, and his gratitude explained a certain lunch on Boston baked beans he had with a distinguished Southern citizen.

HAPPIEST MAN IN UNCLE SAM'S NAVY.

"I am the happiest man in Uncle Sam's navy. I must have got the piles from all my sitting on the guns, for I have to clean them to clean them, as I am first-class gunner's mate in the after turret." "I could not do any work when I had the piles; my shipmates did it for me. I certainly was in a bad condition, today, when I was on the ship in better condition than I am, and I can certainly thank Pyramid Pile Cure for the world of good it has done me. I used so many different medicines, and spent many of money until I used this remedy. It is the only one of the whole lot that did me any good."

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gold standard. The Governor's peroration was a gem of word painting.

Montague and Maynard spoke to-night at Institute Hall, in Smithfield, under the auspices of the Smithfield Democratic Club.

Garrett at Gloucester.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
GLOUCESTER, VA., Oct. 3.—A large crowd was in attendance at the farmers' meeting here to-day. After attending to routine matters, the meeting gave place to Mr. Leslie Garrett, who made a splendid speech on the political situation.

The demonstrators met conclusively that the government under the Republican administration was run with much greater expense than under the Democratic, that there have been multiple under-Republican rule. The speech was received with great enthusiasm. From henceforth the campaign in Gloucester will be continued with great interest.

Cassell at Wytheville.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WYTHEVILLE, VA., Oct. 3.—Judge George T. Cassell, of Radford, addressed the Parker, Davis and Wyser Club at the Opera House to-day evening. For one and a quarter hours he held his audience in a stirring speech, which created great enthusiasm. The campaign can now be said to be fully on in Wythe, and the county will give Wyser a safe and substantial majority.

JAILER INDICTED.

For Allowing Prisoner to Escape. Indictments for Shooting.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SUFFOLK, VA., October 3.—In Isle of Wight county to-day O. L. Batten, deputy sheriff and jailer, was indicted by a Circuit Court grand jury for "voluntarily and negligently" allowing John Batten, a negro prisoner, to escape jail. Batten was convicted of attempted assault on Mrs. Stallings.

A grand jury in Isle of Wight county to-day brought two indictments against Henry Hudson for shooting Robert Smith last Friday and Saturday. Smith was not killed, as first reported, and is yet alive.

FOR PEACE IN FAR EAST

(Continued from First Page.)

while here we are preparing to settle the question of a vast transfer of power by an appeal to reason and orderly procedure, under the sanction of a law implicitly accepted by eighty millions of people. No place could be more suitable than this high-hearted city, which has been for nearly three hundred years the birthplace and the home of every idea of progress and enlightenment which has germinated in the western world. To you we welcome the spirit of peace, of understanding, and of Adams, of Channing, and Emerson, to give you the freedom of no mean city, to you we give a spiritual inheritance without which with all our appliances, we would be poor, indeed. It is true that this great Commonwealth has fought with the sword, peace under liberty. We confess that many have left their traces in the pages of its history, but we have not been judged by the public places of this state, town with the statues of its heroes slain. But the dominant note of its highest culture, its most persistent spirit, has been that of peace, which exalts a nation, that obedience to the inner light which leads along the path of peace.

"If our example is worth anything to the world, we have given it in the vital matter of peace. We have brought away from the far East 55,000 soldiers whose work was done, and have sent them back to the fields of peaceful activity. There refused our aid to its minimum of 60,000 men, in fact, we may say we have no army, but in place of one a nucleus for drill and discipline. We have three-fourths of one soldier for every thousand of the population—a proportion, which, if adopted by other powers, would reduce the armies of the world to a fraction of the daily thought of the churches of the world."

Measures for Peace.

"But fixed as our tradition is, clear as is our purpose in the direction of peace, no country can permanently immune to war as long as the desire and the practice of peace are not universal. If we quote Washington as an advocate of peace, it is but fair also to quote him where he says: 'To be prepared for war is one of the most effectual means of preserving peace.' And at another time, he said: 'The only security for peace is the protection of a naval force is indispensable. To secure respect to a neutral flag requires a naval force organized and ready to vindicate it from insult or aggression.' To acknowledge the existence of an evil is not to suppose that it is incurable. The history of human history is one long desperate story of bloodshed. All the arts unite in the pursuit of arms. Demosthenes and Cicero advised the Athenians by the memory of their battles. Hannibal boasted that he had been a soldier, not a philosopher. Even Milton, in that sublime sonnet where he said: 'Peace hath her victories no less than those of war,' also mentioned among the gods Apollo of Crumwell. 'Darwin's stream, with blood of Scotia imbued,' in almost every sermon and hymn we hear in our churches the imagery of war and battle is used. We are charged to fight the good fight of faith; we are to march through bloody seas to win the prize. The Christian

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"If I am speaking to those who recognize the lamentable state of things and who yet do not accept it or submit to it and we shall sweep into a younger day, show is this great deliverance to be accomplished?"

"We have all recently read that wonderful sermon on war by Count Tolstoy, in which he speaks of the marvelous beauty and the absolute detachment from geographical or political conditions speaks the word as it has been given him to speak it, and as no other living man could have done. As you read, with an aching heart, his terrible arraignment of war, feeling that as a man you are fairly responsible for all human atrocities, you wait with impatience for the remedy he shall propose, and you find it is—religion. Yes, that is the remedy. If all would do right, nobody would do wrong—nothing is plainer. It is a counsel of perfection, satisfactory to prophets and saints, to be reached in God's good time. But you are here to consult together to see whether the generation now before us may not do something to hasten the coming of the acceptable day, the appearance on earth of the beatific vision. If we cannot do this, we are bound to follow the universal rule and practice of nations, what can we do to approximate this condition? What measures can we now take which may lead us at least a little distance toward the wished-for goal."

Hints at Intervention.

"I have not come to advise you; I have no special pretensions, and I am not a saint. I am authorized to assure you that the American government extends to you a cordial and sympathetic welcome, and shares to the utmost the spirit and purpose in which you have met. The President, so long as he remains in power, has no intention of interfering with the traditions bequeathed us by the great soldiers and statesmen of our early history, which have been strictly followed during the last seven years. We shall continue to advocate and to carry into effect, as far as practicable, the principle of non-interference in the domestic affairs of other nations. Questions as may not be settled through diplomatic negotiations. We have already done much in this direction, and we hope to do more. The President is now considering the negotiation of treaties of arbitration with such of the European powers as desire them, and hopes to lay them before the Senate next winter."

"Unhappily we can foresee in the immediate future the continuation of war upon the earth. We ought, therefore, to labor constantly for the mitigation of the horrors of war, especially to do what we can to prevent the outbreak of those who have no part in the struggle. This has been one of the most warmly cherished wishes of the last two administrations."

"It has not been thought advisable by the President during the past summer to call the attention of the powers to the problem which would necessarily be regarded by two of them, and possibly by others, with reference to its domestic affairs. But we have earnestly prayed that the return of peace may not be long delayed, and we have been bound by so many historic ties, we may confidently look forward to no distant day to inviting the attention of the nations to the matter. We hope we may have the powerful influence of this great organization in enjoining their adherence."

What He Has Reached.
"Don't be too hard on the boy. You must remember that he hasn't reached the age of reason."

"I know that. He's reached the age of excuses."—Kansas City World.

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Rev. S. C. Hatcher Justifies the Archbishop in His New York Trip.

LARGE ART EXHIBITION

Young Man Goes to Police Station and Surrenders Himself on Charge of Burglary.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERSBURG, VA., October 3.—Rev. S. C. Hatcher, pastor of Market Street Methodist Episcopal Church, preached to a large congregation last night a sermon on "The Propriety of Slumming," referring especially to the trip through the slums of New York city which was recently made by the Archbishop of Canterbury, and which Mr. Hatcher approved and justified.

Oakes's Tobacco Warehouse, which has been closed for several months, was reopened to-day with Mr. W. E. Beasley as manager.

Archer C. Dempsey, a young man from Georgia, who has been living in Petersburg for some time, was arrested here to-day by Captain Ragland and Officer Eanes, on the charge of breaking into the loan office of I. V. Thompson and Company, on Halifax Street, and stealing \$27.50, part of which has been recovered by the police.

It is understood that Thompson went to the police station and gave himself up. The Southern Female College, of this city, give a large art exhibition in the college gymnasium during this week, when the Boston traveling pictures comprising two hundred productions of famous paintings by great artists, will be displayed.

The preliminary examination in the case of Richard Vaughan, colored, who fatally stabbed Sam Harris, another negro, on last Thursday night, was held in the Mayor's Court this morning, and he was sent on to the grand jury.

A HEAVY PAY-ROLL.

Newport News Shipyard Pays Out Big Sum for Week's Work.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., October 3.—Over 7,000 men on the weekly pay-roll were paid off at the shipyard again Saturday. On account of the vast amount of night work done during the past week, the "overtime" amounted to a large sum, and the pay-roll for the week was larger than it has ever been in the history of the plant. The employees on the monthly roll also received their salary Saturday, and in all the yard paid out over \$58,000.

From the First National Bank alone \$37,000 was checked out Saturday for different pay-rolls. The local military companies are preparing for the annual inspection by Colonel Joe Lane Stern, assistant inspector-general, Wednesday night. A battalion inspection was conducted at the armory to-night by Major J. H. Gilkerson, which closed at 11 o'clock. The inspection was for the term to-day. Judge Blackstone called his docket and set numerous cases for trial during the term. The September term of the Corporation Court ends tomorrow.

PULL DOWN TENT.

Mob Warn Adventists to Leave.

Grand Jury to Investigate.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LYNCHBURG, VA., Oct. 3.—On Saturday afternoon, after having been warned in a letter to quit the county, Elder E. C. Smith, of the Seventh-day Adventist Church, who had been conducting evangelistic services in a tent at Naruna, in Campbell county, twenty-five miles from Lynchburg, the tent was torn down and demolished by a mob of armed men. The action of these men, who numbered about sixty, has aroused the indignation of the community, and the matter will be investigated by the Campbell grand jury at its meeting in November. The tent which bore the title and name of the Seventh-day Adventist Church, was being adjoining the big tent, was also demolished, and Mrs. Rule has been so injured on account of the indignation of the mob that she is confined to the home of a friend nearby, where she is said to be very ill.

A HEAVY DOCKET.

Reunion Called Off on Account of a Busy Season.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

MEHERRIN, VA., October 3.—About twenty folio cases are scheduled for County Court, which opens Monday. This is the largest docket for several years, and to clear it will take about two weeks. Over one hundred witnesses will be called before the grand jury, which will hold one of the longest sessions known.

Four Democratic speakers are scheduled to address the people Monday.

The reunion, which was to be held at Lunenburg on Saturday last, was called off on account of a busy season with the Legislature. Lieutenant-Governor Willard was to have spoken on this occasion, but postponed this also until later.

HARDLY FLOAT HER.

Fearful That the Steamer Arrow-smith Cannot be Rescued.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

COMORN, VA., Oct. 3.—It is the prevailing opinion along the Potomac that it will not be possible to rescue the steamer "Arrow-smith" from the sand bar upon which it was grounded by the terrible gale on the night of September 14th. All efforts to move out into deep water have so far failed. Many of the people here have visited the fine old steamer since it has been on the bar, and state that it is in such shallow water that much of its bottom timber may be seen when the tide is low. The steamer, which was built here, has settled down several feet in the mud.

The public schools of King George opened this morning. Up to noon the school was small, as is generally the case the first week or so.

Mrs. Emma T. Hogan, who returned to King George from a visit to her mother, opened a private school at this place to-day.

Miss Margarette B. Brown, of Baltimore, has just arrived in King George to spend two or three weeks with kinfolk.

True Bill Against Wheeler.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LYNCHBURG, VA., Oct. 3.—In the Corporation Court to-day the grand jury returned an indictment against Ernest Wheeler for the murder of Richard Smith last July. The parties are both colored. Wheeler is said to have struck Smith on the head with a rock, which caused his death. It was expected that the negro would plead that Smith starved himself to death, as he refused to work after being taken to the city hospital, where he died.

Christian Missionary Society.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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here to-night, the sessions being held in the First Christian Church, with the session of the Ministerial Association of the State. Addresses were made by Rev. H. S. Henkel, of Harrisonburg, on the "Holy Spirit," and Rev. A. G. Johnson, of Roanoke, on "New Light From Old History."

LAST OF THE STAGES.

Withdrawing of Mail Contract Puts an End to Them.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LEESBURG, VA., October 3.—The stage line between Bluemont and Winchester will be discontinued owing to the action of the Postoffice Department in discontinuing the mail route, October 1st, between these two points. This stage line was the last remaining line of the old stage route between Winchester and Alexandria, which ran between these points for nearly one hundred years.

Sweet Potatoes Cheap.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ONANCOCK, VA., Oct. 3.—The crop of sweet potatoes on the Virginia Eastern Shore this season was one of the largest ever known. The yield has been most satisfactory, and the farmers would have had a good year but for the price of their potatoes being so low. The market price for prime stock at railroad stations and steamboat wharves is only eight to ten cents for a barrel. The low price is attributed to large crops in other sections to its being presidential election year, and to the mammoth yield of all kinds of fruit throughout the country. It is thought now that the potatoes would not be worth digging but for the good work of the Eastern Shore of Virginia Produce Exchange.

Culpeper Convicts.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CULPEPER, VA., Oct. 3.—The Circuit Court for this county, Judge D. A. Grimley presiding, concluded its labors to-day, and the judge goes to Orange to open the term there. Subby Brock, who now goes to serve a second term in the penitentiary, was given at this term a five years' sentence for robbing to steal a life offense. William Porter and Henry Strother were also sentenced for five years, while the separate negro, who was shot by a seriously shot Special Police Officer Jim Roach, was given the period of ten years at hard labor in the penitentiary. They will all be taken by an officer of the penitentiary to Richmond this evening to serve their terms.

Fire in Burkeville.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BURKEVILLE, VA., Oct. 3.—Several thousand boards were burned at Burkeville's heading mill yesterday; also three houses occupied by colored people. The loss is estimated to be several hundred dollars. There was no insurance.

Miss Abbott's Defender Dies.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Oct. 3.—John Martin, who was the defender of Miss Abbott, died at his home here to-day. He was a native of Hudson, N. C., recently, in a general encounter, resulting from the taking of sides regarding Miss Abbott, an Ohio missionary, died at Hickory, N. C., to-day.

HEALTH IN THE BALMY SOUTHLAND.

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